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Re: **Application Serial No.:**   **10/796,792**
      Confirmation No.:   **3173**
      Applicant: **Jeffrey Eastman, et al.**
      Title: **Cash Dispensing Automated Banking**
                                      Machine Deposit Accepting System
                                      and Method
      Docket No.:   **D-1218 R2**

Sir:

Please find enclosed Applicant's Response to the Office Action dated November 21, 2005 for filing in the above identified Application.

Additional claim fees in the amount of $950 are due (11 additional claims in excess of 20 and 2 additional independent claims in excess of 3). The Commissioner is authorized to charge any necessary fee associated with this Response and any other fee due to Deposit Account 09-0428.

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     In response to the Office Action dated November 21, 2005, kindly amend the above

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